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Comments: A great deal of animal testing is done unnecessarily; without regard for suffering; in the setting of poor study design.

The same goes for animal experimentation.

As far as vivisection goes: it needs to stop.

Animals as experimental subjects is frequently inappropriate and poorly thought out. Greater oversight should be requisite. Most IRBs are ill-equipped to deal with research proposals.

Animal wastage has reached obscene levels.

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